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Gutknecht demands 9/11 reform bill include border protection provisions

Rochester, Minn. – First District Congressman Gil Gutknecht today contacted Judiciary Committee Chairman James Sensenbrenner’s office to express his support for the Chairman’s insistence that any intelligence reform bill include border protection provisions. Congress is expected to return to Washington next week to discuss the intelligence reform conference report. Gutknecht issued the following statement regarding this important issue:

“It is a mockery to talk about homeland security without adequately protecting our borders. I can assure you that I’ll stand with the vast majority of Americans who demand we make common sense reforms. We now know that the 19 hijackers of 9/11 had 63 valid drivers’ licenses among them.

I thank Chairman Sensenbrenner for his strong stance to ensure that, as we reform our intelligence agencies, we do it in a way that makes sense.”